

**REMARKS/ARGUMENTS**

After the foregoing Amendment, claims 7-18 are currently pending in this application. Claims 7 and 13 are amended.

**Claim Rejections - 35 USC § 112**

Claims 7-18 are rejected under 35 U.S.C. 112, first paragraph, as failing to comply with the enablement requirement and as being indefinite. Claims 7 and 13 have been amended to address the Examiner's objections. Therefore, withdrawal of the 112 rejection of claims 7-18 is respectfully requested.

**Conclusion**


If the Examiner believes that any additional minor formal matters need to be addressed in order to place this application in condition for allowance, or that a telephonic interview will help to materially advance the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone at the Examiner's convenience.

**Applicant: Dick et al.**  
**Application No.: 10/689,485**

In view of the foregoing amendment and remarks, Applicants respectfully submit that the present application is in condition for allowance and a notice to that effect is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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